

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Claim 1 (Previously presented) A prosthetic foot comprising:
an L-shaped frame having a first axis and a second axis, the first axis forming a substantially horizontal leg of the L-shaped frame;
a rigid connector connected to the frame, the connector defining an opening through itself which receives the horizontal leg in a direction substantially along the first axis so that the connector is rotatable about the substantially horizontal leg; and
a footplate attached to the connector, the footplate defining a first end and a top plane such that the footplate is also adapted to rotate about the substantially horizontal leg in unison with the connector and flex with respect to the second axis.

Claim 2 (Original) The prosthetic foot of Claim 1 wherein the frame is a tubular L-shaped member.

Claim 3 (Original) The prosthetic foot of Claim 1 wherein the frame is manufactured from a material, the material selected from the group consisting of high strength polymer and composite material.

Claims 4 (Original) The prosthetic foot of Claim 1 wherein the connector is manufactured from a material, the material selected from the group consisting of a high modulus elastomeric material, a high strength polymer and a composite material.

Claims 5 -7 (Cancelled)

Claim 8 (Original) The prosthetic foot of Claim 1 wherein the second axis of the frame is adjustably positioned with respect to the first end of the footplate.

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Claim 9 (Original) The prosthetic foot of Claim 1 wherein the second axis of the frame is adjustably positioned with respect to the top plane of the footplate.

Claims 10-29 (Cancelled)